

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

Claims 1 - 5 (cancelled)

Claim 6 (original) A method of moving a first predetermined epidermal area relative to a laterally spaced, second predetermined epidermal area, the method comprising the steps of:

anchoring a first adhesive coated anchoring structure to said first predetermined epidermal area;

coupling a marginal area of said first anchoring structure to a marginal area of a first elastic member;

coupling an oppositely disposed marginal area of said first elastic member to a first end of a bandage structure;

coupling a second end of said bandage structure to a marginal area of a second elastic member;

coupling an oppositely disposed marginal area of said second elastic member to a marginal area of a second adhesive coated anchoring structure;

anchoring said second adhesive coated anchoring structure to said second epidermal area, whereby said first and said second predetermined epidermal areas are moved relative to one another.

Claim 7 (original) The method of claim 6 wherein said bandage structure includes at least one side having a medicinal material thereon.

Claim 8 (original) The method of claim 7 wherein said medicinal material comprises zinc chromate.

Claim 9 (original) The method of claim 7 wherein said medicinal material comprises zinc chromate impregnated in a hydrocolloid material.

Claim 10 (original) The method of claim 7 wherein said medicinal material comprises an alginate.

Claim 11 (original) The method of claim 10 wherein said alginate is selected from the group consisting of calcium alginate and sodium alginate.